

In response to your letter dated October 20, 2006, the Friends of Jeb Hensarling congressional committee can demonstrate its best efforts to obtain information concerning individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in an election cycle.

Each written solicitation that the committee makes includes a clear and conspicuous request for the contributor s information and informs the contributor of the requirements of federal law for the reporting of such information. Specifically, the contributor is asked for his or her name, address, occupation and employer.

If that information is not provided by the contributor, within 30 days of the receipt of the contribution, the committee follows-up in writing and (1) clearly asks for the missing information (without soliciting a contribution); (2) informs the contributor of the federal requirements for reporting; and (3) includes a pre-addressed return envelope. Information provided by the contributor is reported accordingly.

We trust that this addresses your concerns.